

Cal OES Daily Situation Report

October 31, 2018

Happy Halloween



Happy Halloween from the California State Warning Center.

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National Terrorism Advisory System



SITUATION SUMMARY

Cal OES Activation Status

State Operations Center	Inland Region EOC	Coastal Region EOC	Southern Region EOC
Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations	Normal Operations

Cal OES INLAND REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES COASTAL REGION

- Nothing significant to report.

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

Virulent Newcastle Disease (VND) in Backyard Poultry and Avian in Los Angeles, San Bernardino, and Riverside Counties

The California Department of Food and Agriculture (CDFA) has detected virulent Newcastle disease (vND) in backyard exhibition poultry and avian in San Bernardino, Riverside, and Los Angeles counties, and declared an Agricultural Emergency on 06/26/18. The CDFA State Veterinarian-Director has established an animal (defined poultry species) and animal products quarantine in designated disease control areas in the counties of San Bernardino, Riverside, and Los Angeles. Since 05/18/18, the USDA has confirmed 131 cases of vND in backyard birds in California, 90 in San Bernardino County, 20 in Riverside County, 20 in Los Angeles County and 1 in Ventura County.

Deployments

- 1 Cal OES Southern Region Senior ESC is deployed as an Agency Representative
- [See Fire Activity Slide](#)

FIRE ACTIVITY

Cal OES Fire Preparedness Levels

National	Northern California	Southern California
Preparedness Level 1	Preparedness Level 2	Preparedness Level 2
	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2	Multi-Agency Coordination System MACS Mode: 2

Please note: The National and Regional Preparedness Levels are maintained by the National Multi-Agency Coordination (MAC) Group and are separate from Cal OES activation levels.

Preposition of Cal OES and Local Government Resources for Red Flag Warning Event

Cal OES Fire and Rescue staff are coordinating with local Operational Areas (counties) to preposition fire apparatus and personnel to augment local resources in preparation for the current Red Flag fire weather event. Staffing began the evening of 10/29/18, and will be evaluated every 12 hours and extended as necessary until conclusion of the weather event/need.

- Sonoma County – 1 Local Government (LG) Strike Team (5 Type 3 Engines), 1 Dispatcher. [\(Released\)](#)
- Marin County – 1 LG Task Force (4 Type 3 Engines and 1 Water Tender), 1 Dispatcher. [\(Extended until 10/31/18 at 1700 hours\)](#)
- Napa County – 1 LG Strike Team (5 Type 3 Engines), 1 Dispatcher. [\(Extended until 10/31/18 at 1700 hours\)](#)
- Contra Costa County – 1 LG Task Force (Type 1 and Type 3 Engines), 1 Water Tender, 1 Dispatcher. [\(Extended until 10/31/18 at 2000 hours\)](#)
- Lake County – 1 LG Task Force (4 Type 2/3 Engines), 1 Water Tender. [\(Released\)](#)
- Alameda County – 1 OES Strike Team (5 OES Type 3 Engines), 1 LG Water Tender. [\(Released\)](#)
- Los Angeles City: 1 LG Strike Team (5 Type 1 Engines), 1 Dispatcher. [\(Start on 10/31/18 at 0800 hours\)](#)
- Ventura County: 1 LG Strike Team (5 Type 1 Engines), 1 Dispatcher. [\(Start on 10/31/18 at 0800 hours\)](#)

Cal OES SOUTHERN REGION

Junes, Vegetation Fire, Butte County

[Location: Four Junes Way X Palermo, south of Palermo](#)

[Jurisdiction: State DPA, SRA, Butte Unit](#)

[Start Date / Time: 10/30/18 at 1412 hours](#)

[Per Cal OES Duty Officers as of 10/31/18 at 0838 hours:](#)

- 550 acres grass, 70% contained
- Red Flag Warning for strong north winds and low humidity in effect
- No Federal resources committed

MAJOR ROAD / HIGHWAY / BRIDGE CLOSURES

Major Road Closures		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures	No Lifeline Route Closures

Lifeline Routes

- There are no Lifeline Route closures.

Non-Lifeline Routes:

- Click [here](#) for a list of current road closures.

Wildfire Closures:

- There are no Wildfire closures.

Emergency Center Activations:

- There are no Emergency Center Activations.

Interactive Travel Forecast Map Based on Weather Conditions Provided by National Weather Service (Prototype)

<http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/wrh/travel/?wfo=mtr>



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current Hwy. conditions.
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current Hwy. conditions.



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California 911 System

CA 911 Outages		
Northern California	Central California	Southern California
No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages	No 911 Outages

Service Interruptions:

- None reported

Remote/Community Isolations:

- None reported

WEATHER OF CONCERN

Weather of Concern

- Critical fire weather conditions today for portions of Interior Northern California.
 - The combination of gusty offshore winds, low humidity, and above normal temperatures will continue to create critical fire weather conditions.
 - North to east wind 10 to 20 mph with local gusts 30 to 35 mph. Wind strongest over ridges and through favorably oriented canyons.
 - Red Flag Warnings are in effect until 1100 hours today.

Southern California

- Gusty Santa Ana winds across the mountains of Los Angeles and Ventura counties through Thursday.
 - The gusty Santa Ana winds will combine with the warm and dry conditions to bring critical fire weather conditions to much of Los Angeles and Ventura counties today.
 - Red Flag Warnings are in effect until this evening.

Weather Advisories, Watches, and Warnings currently active in California:

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca>

Active Weather Warnings, Watches and Advisories by County:

- <http://www.wrh.noaa.gov/hazardSummary/?state=ca&bycounty=1>

Key Points

10/31/18 - 11/06/18

Tuesday – Thursday

- Critical fire weather conditions across southern California due to Sundowner and offshore Santa Ana winds today through early Thu.
 - Weak to moderate offshore wind event
- Elevated fire weather conditions for Interior Northern CA, as well as the North and East Bay Hills through early afternoon Wed.
 - Moderate offshore wind event
- Dry conditions across all but the extreme northern portions of the state for the week.

Friday - Tuesday

- Elevated fire weather conditions possible again each day due to periods of light to moderate offshore winds and the resulting above normal temperatures and low humidity
 - Winds during this time period not expected to be as strong as the current Red Flag Warning event
- Otherwise, no significant impacts expected at this time.



California Weather Impacts

10/31/18 - 11/06/18

<u>Hazards / Day</u>	WED	THU	FRI	SAT	SUN	MON	TUE
Non-Thunderstorm Damaging Winds	Southern	Southern					
Snow							
Marine/Coastal	Coastal, Southern	Coastal	Coastal	Coastal	Coastal	Coastal	Coastal
River Flooding							
Thunderstorms (Wind / Hail / Tornadoes)							
Fire Weather (Low Humidity / Wind / Dry Thunderstorms)	All Regions	Southern		All Regions	Coastal, Inland	Coastal, Inland	Coastal, Inland
Heat Risk							
Heavy Rain / Flash Flooding / Debris Flow							
Extreme Cold							



No Impacts



Minimal Impacts



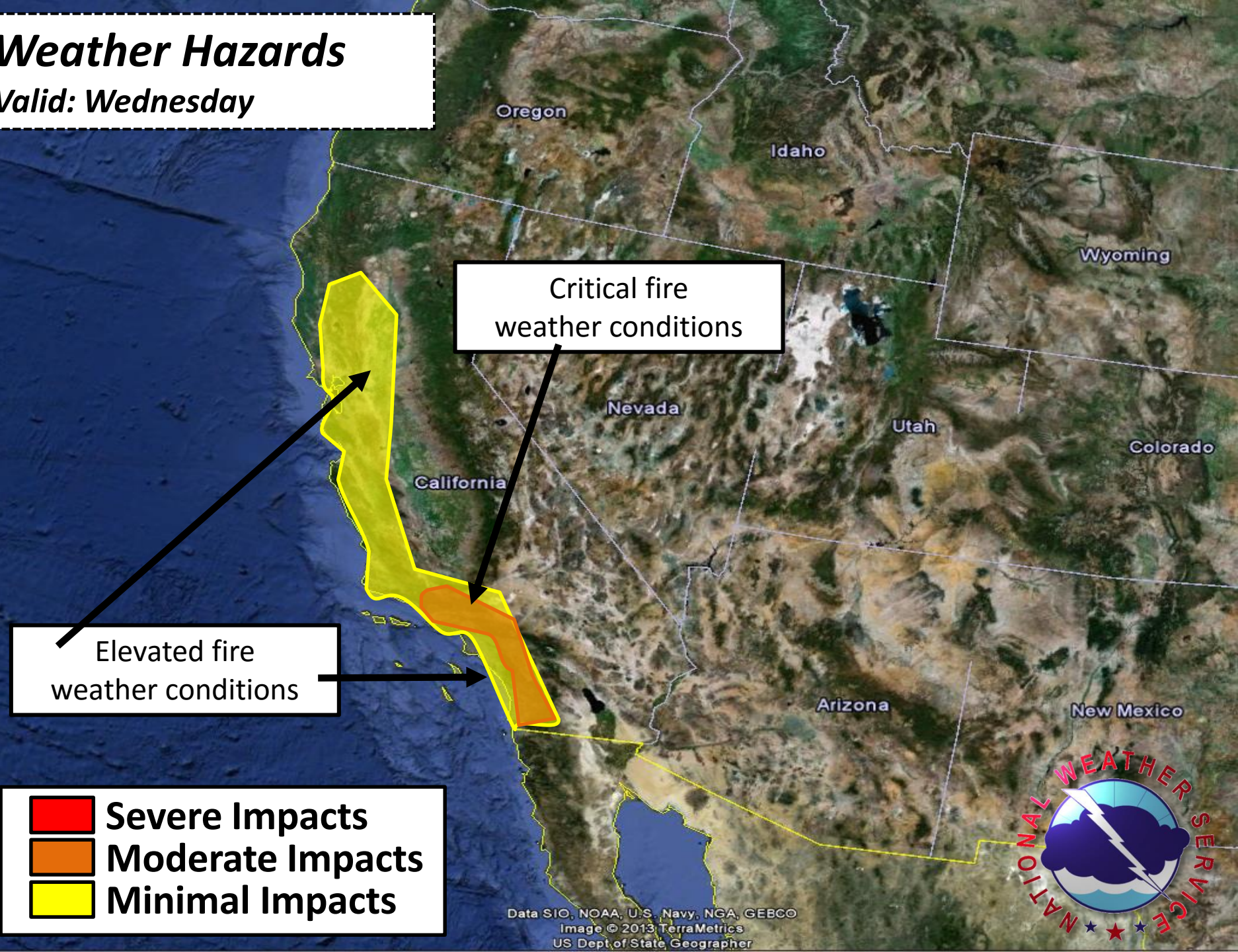
Moderate Impacts



Severe Impacts

Weather Hazards

Valid: Wednesday



Weather Hazards

Valid: Thursday

Elevated fire
weather conditions

-  Severe Impacts
-  Moderate Impacts
-  Minimal Impacts

Data SIO, NOAA, U.S. Navy, NGA, GEBCO
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WEATHER SYNOPSIS BY REGION

NORTHERN CALIFORNIA

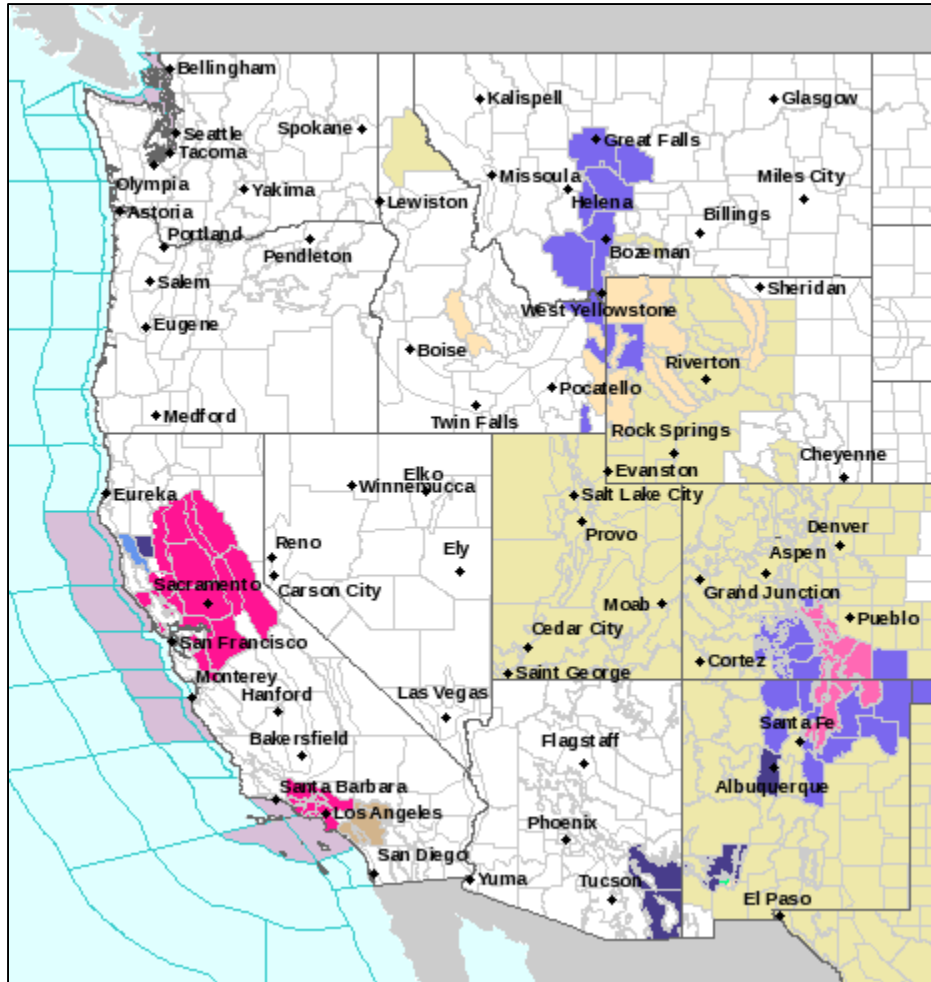
- High Risk today for moderately strong N-NE wind/low relative humidity (RH) Western Cascade-Sierra Slopes, Sacramento Valley/Foothills, SE portion of Mid Coast-Mendocino PSA, and Diablo-Santa Cruz Mountains.
- High pressure will dominate the weather pattern next 7 days at least with a few minor weather systems occasionally weakening the high as they pass by to the north.
- Periods of N to NE winds will continue next 7 days, strongest today with gusts 25-35 mph W Cascade-Sierra slopes to the Coast Range. Lighter speeds expected Thursday/Friday, then possibly increasing to significant speeds again Saturday. The Sacramento Valley likely to see stronger-than-daytime N winds overnight into this weekend at least.
- Low RH with poor to moderate overnight recoveries will persist west of the Cascade-Sierra crest with min RH's there generally 8-18% through Monday. Lowest RH recoveries will be in the breezy areas at only 15-35%, significantly higher in calm wind areas.
- Temperatures will be 8-14 degrees above seasonal normals with the warmest days for inland areas upper 70s to lower 80s.
- A few light showers possible near the Oregon border today, maybe (but unlikely) again Friday and Sunday as weather systems pass by to the north.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA

- Much warmer and drier conditions are expected the next several days. Offshore winds will be locally gusty over Southern California today with lighter offshore winds expected to continue through Friday. An absence of winds over the weekend will allow a slow cooling trend to occur early next week.
- Highs will warm 5-8 degrees each day through the end of the workweek. By Friday, highs will be in the 70s in the mountains above 5,000 feet to the mid 90s in the valleys and lower foothills.
- Northeast winds of 15-25 mph with gusts to 40 mph will be prevalent today, mainly over Ventura and northern Los Angeles counties. Weaker offshore winds of 10-20 mph will be possible during the night and morning hours the rest of the week. In addition, light offshore winds of 10-15 mph will be possible along the central coast.
- Minimum RH will be in the 10-15% range over a wide area extending from the central coast to the mountains and valleys of Southern California. Poor RH recovery can be expected in the wind-prone areas of Southern California through Friday night. Higher RH will overspread the region next Monday and Tuesday.
- No precipitation is expected the next 10-14 days.



WEATHER MAP



- [Winter Storm Warning](#)
- [Freeze Warning](#)
- [Red Flag Warning](#)
- [Winter Weather Advisory](#)
- [Flood Advisory](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory For Rough Bar](#)
- [Small Craft Advisory](#)
- [Wind Advisory](#)
- [Frost Advisory](#)
- [Special Weather Statement](#)
- [Hazardous Weather Outlook](#)
- [Short Term Forecast](#)



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Cal OES LAW ENFORCEMENT MISSIONS

Cal OES Law Missions

- **2018-LAW-52632, 10/30/18, 1745 hours:** Contra Costa County Sheriff's Office (CoCoSO) requested on behalf of Pleasant Hill Police Department, two SAR trailing K9 teams to assist in searching for an at-risk missing 20 year old autistic male last seen earlier in the day. The requested resources are for an immediate response to the Diablo Valley College Parking Lot# 9. **Update:** At 1916 hours, CoCoSO advised MP was located alive and well. All requested SAR resources were cancelled. **Mission Closed.**
- **2018-LAW-52589, 10/28/18, 1800 hours:** Alpine County Sheriff's Office (ACSO) requested an incident support team and 20 Type-2 ground searchers to assist in searching for a missing 55 year old solo hiker in the Carson Pass Summit area. The requested resources were to meet for a 0700 hour briefing on 10/29/18, at the ICP near Lower Blue Lake. Eldorado County Sheriff's Office (EDSO) has accepted the mission and will fulfill ACSO's SAR Mutual Aid request. **Update:** 10/29/18, 0825 hours, ACSO requested a CNG hoist capable helicopter, 25 Nanos and technician for a 3 day deployment with an immediate response. CNG accepted the mission and deployed. At 1032 hours, ACSO requested Cal OES Telecommunication MIGU-4 and a cache of hand held programmable radios for an immediate response. The Cal OES Law Enforcement Duty Officer (LDO) coordinated with the Cal OES Tactical Communications Duty Officer (TDO) and deployed the requested resources to the ICP. **Update:** 10/29/18, 1432 hours, ACSO requested 25 Type-1 and Type-2 SAR ground searchers, 3 SAR Area K9 teams, and IST support for an operational period on Tuesday, 10/30/18, with a 0700 briefing at the ICP. Amador, Calaveras, Nevada, Placer, Sacramento, and Tuolumne County Sheriff's accepted the mission and fulfilled ACSO's request. **Update:** 10/30/18, 0905 hours, ACSO requested 40 Type1 or Type-2 SAR ground searchers, 4 SAR Area K9 teams, IST support team, and an aircraft capable of night operations with infrared and downlink capabilities as there were no local or county helicopters with that capability for night operations. This resource request is for operational periods 10/31/18 and 11/01/18 with 0700 hour briefing at Turtlerock Park, 17300 Hwy 89, Markleeville. LDO made the night operation aircraft request to CNG for the RC26 and its platform. CNG advised it was not available but a UAS (MQ9) had the same capability and was available. At 1035 hours, LDO made the request with CNG via the Air Force Rescue Coordination Center (AFRCC) for the MQ9 and IAA support team. **Update:** 10/30/18, 1703 hours, AFRCC and the USNORTHCOM Commander sanctioned the mission #18M-0827A. CNG IAA was on station with ACSO IC and the MQ9 scheduled to arrive on station at 2000 hours, 10/30/18. **Update:** 10/30/18, 1902 hours, Alameda, Contra Costa, Marin, Monterey, Sacramento, and San Mateo County Sheriff's Offices accepted the mission and fulfilled ACSO's request. Cal OES LEB coordinated the response of 6 SAR Area K9 teams. **Mission Ongoing.**



Cal OES MISSION TASKING

Cal OES Missions

- **2018-Cal OES-51904:** 2018 July Statewide Wildfires – CNG to provide 55 SHOUT NANO devices, 1 laptop computer, transportation, and required training in support of debris removal operations in the Carr Fire burn area. (On Scene)
- **2018-IREOC-49869:** 2018 July Statewide Wildfires - Debris Management Task Force for Shasta County. (Coordinating)
- **2018-IREOC-48515:** 2018-07-05-Klamathon Wildfire - Air monitors in Siskiyou County due to the Klamathon Fire. (On Scene)
- **2018-CREOC-48046:** 2018-06-23-Lake-Wildland Fire - DTSC to clear debris from Pawnee Fire. (Coordinating)
- **2018-IREOC-45244:** Daily Operations - Caltrans to remove dead and dying trees along highways in Kern, Tulare, Fresno, Madera, Mariposa, Tuolumne, Calaveras, Butte, Plumas, Sierra, Shasta, and Lassen counties. (On Scene - Long-term assignment)
- **2017-SOC-44098:** 2017 December Wildfires - CalRecycle Debris Management Team in Ventura County. (On Scene)
- **2017-Inland-42559:** Daily Operations - Weather station installed to gather real time rainfall data by Air Resources Control Board (ARB). Mission extended through 05/30/19. (On Scene)



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